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What will probably prove the biggest and best wrestling card ever arranged and best wrestling card ever arranged in Richmond will be presented to-night in the City Auditorium, when the two stellar heavyweights, Neil Olsen, weighting 230 pounds, and George Senteles, tipping the scales at 227 pounds, gather on the mat, the winner to gain the right to meet Dr. Roller early in next month. In addition, Joe Turner and Tom Duchesne, champion of France, wiff grapple for the middle-weight championship.

The first bout will be started promptly at 8:30 o'clock, and women will be admitted free. Each seat is couponed, and male purchasers of reserved tickets are entitled to an additional coupon if they expect to be accompanied by a member of the gentler sex.

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Senteles and Olsen should furnish one of the most thrilling matches ever staged anywhere. Both are fast and big, and both are anxious to have a chance with Roller. They are in as good condition as systematic training can accomplish, and since there is little love lost between the two their setto should be a hummer from the beginning.

ning.

As for the Turner-Duchesne bout, little need be said. Joe Turner is very proud of his title as middleweight champion and holder of the Police Gazette belt. Duchesne has a little belt that he is equally proud of. He won it by defeating all of the best men at his weight in France, and has been defending his title for years. Therefore, both Turner and Duchesne will be setting a fast pace all the way.

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The Howitzer quint added another victory to their long string when they defeated the Medical College of Virginia five by the overwhelming score of \$2 to 15 last night. The game was played on the solidiers' court, and a large crowd witnessed the encounter. The doctors hever threatened the "Champs" at any stage of the game.

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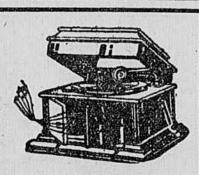
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Knightly (R. L. I. B.), Casoli (R. L. I. B.)

- Event No. 3—Fifty-yard hurdles scholastic—M. W. Pitt (R. A.), Roden (R. A.), W. L. Pitt (R. A.), Cabell (W. F.), Jones (W. F.), Harrison (W. F.), Kinsolving (E. H. S.), Brewer (N. C. S.), Wood (J. M. H. S.), I. Owens (J. M. H. S.), Wood (J. M. H. S.), I. Owens (J. M. H. S.), Core (J. M. H. S.)

Event No. 4—Fifty-yard Hurdles, collegiate—Kinsolving (E. H. S.), Gooch (U. Va.), Cronley, U. Va.), Wilson (U. Va.), Goodwyn (U. Va.), Haralson (U. Va.), Goodwyn (U. Va.), Haralson (U. Va.), Satterfield (R. C.), Jones (R. C.), Durham (R. C.)

Event No. 5—Midget relay, between Petersburg High, Richmond Academy, John Marshall, Benedictine and Mc. Guire's.

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Event No. 6—Boy Scouts relay for city championshio—Troops 16, 12, 2 and 9 competing.

Event No. 7, 440-yard dash—South Atlantic Championship—Beckett (U. Va.), Speer (U. Va.), Word (U. Va.), Goodwyn (U. Va.), Denny (U. Va.), Mason (U. Va.), McGuire (U. Va.), Cronly (U. Va.), McGuire (U. Va.), Cooke (U. Va.), McGuire (U. Va.), Cooke (U. Va.), Hunn (U. Va.), Dunnington (U. Va.), Mahoney (C. A. C.), Young (G. A.), Gary (R. C.), Liggan (R. C.), Wingfield (R. C.), Siterfield (R. C.), Jones (R. C.), Strather (R. L. I. B.), F. McRee, (R. L. I. B.), J. J. Burke (R. L. I. E.), Burton (R. L. I. B.), Vaughan (R. L. I. B.)

Event No. 8, relay race between Petersburg High, Benedictine and Barton Heights High.

Event No. 9, scholastic shot-put—Jones (W. F.), Harrison (W. F.), Cornick (W. F.), Hothert (J. M. H. S.), Atkinson (J. M. H. S.), Atkinson (J. M. H. S.), Atkinson (J. M. H. S.), Libell (R. L. I. B.)

Event No. 10, collegiate shot-put—Denham (R. C.), Hilderbrandt (Unat), Weidman (G. A.), Coleman (U. Va.), Barker (U. Va.), J. E. Burk (R. L. I. B.), Isbell (R. L. I. B.)

Event No. 11, 400 yards scholastic dash—Asher (B. C.), Kain (B. C.), Roden (R. A.), Pitt (R. A.), Perkins (E. I.), Cullen (E. I.), McCall (W. F.), Cabell (W. F.), Cooke (E. H. S.), Parrishon (W. F.), Sirnaus (J. M. H. S.), Blankenship (J. M. H. S.)

Event No. 12, relay race between Invincibles and First National Bank.—Event No. 13, 440 yards dash collegiate—Young (G. U.), McCarthy (G. U.), McC

(R. L. I. B.), Strother (R. L. I. B.). Vaughan (R. L. I. B.) For University of Virginia: Cobb, Minor, Byrne, Jenkins, Harolson, Mast, Hume, Dunnington, McGuire, Cronley, Walker, Mason, Denny, Goodwyn, Word, Speer, Becket; Mahoney (C. A. C.), Klevesahi (R. C.), Gary (R. C.), Liggan (R. C.)

Event No. 14, high jump, scholastie—Kinsolving (E. H. S.), Atkinson (J. M. H. S.), Johnson (J. M. H. S.), Williard (N. C. S.)

Event No. 15, high jump, collegiate—Durham (R. C.), Heubi (R. C.), Clopton (R. C.), Weldman (G. U.), Low (G. U.), Gooch (U. Va.), J. E. Burke (R. L. I. B.), Knightly (R. L. I. B.), Bryant (R. L. I. B.), Peasley (R. L. I. B.), Relay race between Fork Union Milliary Academy and Richmond Academy, Event No. 17, 880 yards dash, South Atlantic championship—Norris (U. Va.), Barton (U. Va.), Cook (U. Va.), Wright (U. Va.), Heubi (R. C.), Strother (R. L. I. B.), Burton (R. L. I. B.), Vaughan (R. L. I. B.), Cason (R. L. I. B.)

Event No. 18, relay race between Barton Heights Athletic Association and McGill's Catholic Union.

Event No. 19—grammar school relay for city chimpionship between Stonewall Jackson, Fairmount and prevocation schools.

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Event No. 20—880-yard, scholastic—Gibbon (B. C.), West (B. C.), D. Roden (R. A.), Spencer (R. A.), Strother (C. A. H. S.), Wissler (W. F.), McCall (W. F.), Lawton (W. F.), Cornick (E. H. S.), Parrish (E. H. S.), Walker (E. H. S.), Carter (N. C. S.), Harris (N. C. S.), Turner (J. M. H. S.), Franck (J. M. H. S.),

Event No. 21—relay race between thester Agricultural High School and briver Agricultural High School for gricultural championship.

Event No. 22—600-yard novice race—folliday (N. C. S.), Harris (N. C. S.), last (U. Va.), Cobb U. Va.), Dunnington (U. Va.), Burton R. L. I. B.), Satterfield (R. C.), Conrad 1st N. B.), Lacy (1st N. B.), Strother R. L. I. B.), F. McRee (R. L. I. B.), J. Burke (R. L. I. B.), Burton (R. L. I. B.), J. McRee (R. L. I. B.), Gray (R. L. B.), J. McRee (R. L. I. B.), Gray (R. L. B.), J. McRee (R. L. I. B.), Gray (R. L. B.)

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Event No. 27—relay race between Richmond College Reserves and Blues

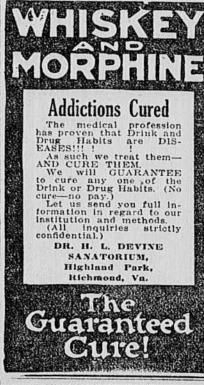
FIRE IN NEGRO DWELLINGS

Four Frame Structures Damaged to the Extent of About \$1,500.

Four frame dwellings in Short Sixth Street, all of which were occupied by negroes, were badly damaged by fire of undetermined origin last night. Assistant Chief Wise estimated the loss at about \$1,500.

The blaze proved a stubborn one, and it was fully three hours before it was completely extinguished, Engine Companies Nos. 4 and 9 and No. 1 Truck responded to an alarm. About an hour later it was found necessary to call out Company No. 3.

While there are only nine entries in the \$30 championship, that nine forms a very select aggregation of speed kings. Every man entered in this has an excellent record, and this race ought to be the most thrilling of the evening. Virginia has Norris, the champion middle-distance man at Yale last year, and Wiley Cook, the great half-miler developed by "Pop" Lannigan, entered, and seems to have more than an even chance of winning at least two places in this event. Richmond College will depend on "Slim" Heubi to win. Heubi is the best that Richmond College will enthusiasts are predicting that the former Richmond Academy star willing ive the university men a tough fight for premier honors. Dick Vaughan will be in the race for the Blues, and he lies another local lad who gives great promise of being returned a winner. The scholastic events should prove fully as thrilling as the collegiate, as several of the important schools throughout the Commonwealth are sending their best teams down, and a baseling their best teams down, and a battle royal is expected when these two ancient rivals get to fighting it sending their best teams down, and a battle royal is expected when these two ancient rivals get to fighting it of the meet. Woodberry Forest Academy and Episcopal High School are both sending their best teams down, and a battle royal is expected when these two ancient rivals get to fighting it of the manufacture of the first honors in the scholastic division. The local proposed will be well represented, although the Marshalltes will not have their full strength on the boards because of injuries to several of their star athletes.



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First race—six furlongs—Francis, 102 (Mc-Sabe), 3 to 1, even and 1 to 2, first; Art Rick, 105 (Gould), 20 to 1, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; 150 (Gould), 20 to 1, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; 150 (Gould), 20 to 1, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; 150 (Gould), 20 to 1, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, second; 150 (Groth), 5 to 2, even and 7 to 10, third. Time, 1:15 1-5, Parcel Post, Ada Kenneday, Tom Murphy, Visible, King Stalwart, Tight Boy, Dr. J. B. Berry and George Oxnard also ran.

Second race—one mile—Sister Florence, 196 (Groth), 5 to 2, even and 2 to 5, first; Vireo, 102 (Crawford), 46 to 1, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, 8 econd; Miami, 108 (McIntyre), 8 to 1, 3 to 1 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:41 2-5, Transact, Startier, Fretty Dale, Jim Cafferata, Sadle Shapiro, Rake, Shorty Northcut, Sleepland and Marshal Tilighman also ran.

Third race—Ensenada purse, five furlongs—Oth 310, 110 (McCabe), 4 to 1, even and 1 to 2, first; Orb, 106 (Groth), 7 to 2, 4 to 5 and 1 to 4, second, Hodge, 122 (Taylor), 4 to 5, 1 to 4 and out, third. Time, 1:00, Daniel, King Worth and Red Path also ran.

Fourth race—Campeche purse, seven furlongs—Black-Eyed Susan, 95 (Taylor), 8 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, first; Belie of Bryn Mawr, 105 (Taplin), 2 to 1, 9 to 10 and 2 to 5, second; Truly, 106 (Haynes), 4 to 1, 6 to 1 and 7 to 10, third. Time, 1:27. Manasseh, Husky Lad and Barsac also ran.

Fifth race—five and a half furlongs—Edmond Adams, 105 (Haynes), 16 to 5, 2 to 2 and 7 to 10, first; John D. Wakefield, 110 (Groth), 4 to 1, 7 to 5 and 7 to 19, second; Orange Blossom, 108 (Taplin), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and Gorden Russell also ran.

Sixth race—one mile—Denmark, 100 (Feeny), 4 to 5, 1 to 2 and 1 to 4, first; Dave Montgomery, 107 (Kelssy), 4 to 1, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; Carter, 102 (Carter), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, third. Time, 1:60 2-5. Eva Tanguay, Bluebeard, Amon and Falcada also ran.

White Sox Leave for Camp. Chicago, February 19.—The vanguard of the White Sox ball club to-night left for their training grounds at Paso Robles, Cal. The special train carried fifty persons, among whom were twenty-three ball players.

To-Day's Leaders.

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To-Day's Schedule. Doubles at 10 A. M.: Class. Alleys

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Singles at 11:20 A. M.:
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Totals 733 653 679 2,065 Coca-Cola Works Win Sult.

In the trial of the sult of the Coca-Cola Bottling Works (Inc.) against S. H. Hawes & Co. for \$3,000 damages, in the Law and Equity Court yesterday, the jury brought in a verdict of \$2,000 damages for the plaintiff. A motion to set aside the verdict as being contrary to law and evidence was overruled by Judge Crump, and Judgment was entered.

Grant Writ of Error.

The Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday granted a writ of error in the case of Joseph E. Scott against W. A. Ricks and others, brought up on appeal from the Circuit Court of Southempton County at the February term, 1918.

URGE DEFEAT OF **COMPENSATION ACT**

Manufacturers of Virginia Attack Employers' Liability Bill Before Committee.

DELEGATE PHILPOTT BITTER

Calls It "Most Unjust Measure Ever Presented to a Civilized People."

Manufacturers and employers of

labor, large and small, descended in an avalanche upon the Senate chamber last night to oppose the passage of the Wendenburg-Chalkley workingmen's compensation bill, now pending before the Courts of Justice Committees of the two houses. The joint committee gave ear to a hearing which stretched from \$:15 o'clock until midnight, and adjourned to take the bill up in executive session at 3 o'clock this afternoon.
Protests were registered by speakers representing practically every in-dustry in the State, from the ship-building enterprises of Newport News to the mining industries of the countles on the West Virginia border. The unanimity of their attack caused friends of the compensation act to guess invidiously at its origin, one or two speakers venturing the opinion

Guigon for Hill.

Alone in the array of speakers from the ranks of the employers, Captain Alex B. Guigon, representing the Public Service Association of Virginia, spoke in favor of the bill. The organization he represented, he said, regarded it as sound in principle and fair in most of its provisions. Several of the sections, however, he said, were objectionable. He offered a schedule of amendments which he asked the committee to consider in preparing the

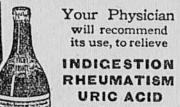
that the movement was inspired by a hostile central bureau in Richmond, which has circularized the State in an

final draft. varying degrees of hostility. A. B. Philpott, member of the House from Henry County, spoke heatedly of the injustice the measure would work in the lumber industry, in which he was interested, and denounced the bill as ever presented to a civilized com-

munity."

Edwin Levy, speaking for a delagation of Richmond manufacturers dwelt upon the amicable relations that exist in Virginia to-day between labor

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facturers and employers of Richmond, he said, wanted the bill killed in its entirety. It would be wise, he thought, to mark time and see how well the law worked in the North and West before saddling so radical a law upon Virginia.

A more indulgent spirit was displayed by A. R. Long, of Lynchburg. He recognized, he said, that a workingmen's compensation act is sound in principle and will eventually have to be adopted by Virginia to equalize the burden of industrial accidents. His chief objection to the bill under consideration, he said, was that it deprives the employer of his common law defenses, and does not provide the proper machinery for administration.

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Long, was vested in a lay board, consisting of three members of the State government, now presumably sufficiently burdened with other work. It was not reasonable, he held, to expect such a board to deal satisfactorily with the accident cases, which are now handled by the courts.

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The industrial accident commission, moreover, vested with full power to pass upon the ability of the employer to meet accident risks and to compel him to take out insurance, thought Mr. Long, might some time become an instrument of abuse.

Attack Prior Lien Clause.

Attorneys George Bryan and L.T. W. Marye, of this city, attacked particularly that section of the bill which makes the employers' liabilizing for accident compensation a lien taking precedence over all other claims against his property. Such a law, they objected, would seriously impair the ability of manufacturers and corporations to sell their bonds or mortgages or borrow money from banks, since lenders and investors would fight shy of putting their money into securities which might by accident become valueless because of the prior lien enjoyed by the compensation obligation.

Further objections to the bill as a whole and to separate sections were made by E. M. Braxton, representing the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company; Attorney Charles Plummer, of Petersburg; J. T. Deal, of Norfolk; Attorney R. B. Davis, of Petersburg; Secretary W. A. Clarke, Jr., of the Retall Merchants' Association, of Richmond; H. L. Brown, of this city, and Delegate Woodward, of Norfolk. The latter presented letters and telegrams of protest from the Norfolk Chamber of Commerce and the Retail Merchants' Association, of the same city.

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E. C. Davison, of the Virginia Federation of Labor, defended the bill as a piece of legislation in keeping with the advanced thought of Continental Europe, and the practice of twenty-three industrial States of the Union. Most of the argument that had been presented against the bill, he said, dwelt upon the dollar side of the question. He had heard little, he said, of the human side which should carry the most weight.

The matter of working out the legal details, said Mr. Davidson, may safely be left with the committee. He knew nothing, he said, about the question of the prior lien, but he was better acquainted with the armless sleeve. More than 18,000 industrial accidents in Virginia, entailing in many cases much suffering and human degradation, he said, called for the enactment of a law which will distribute equitably on society at large the burden of providing for the dependency resulting from them. He predicted that within two years the same interests that are now opposing the bill will join in pressing its passage as a much-needed and desirable piece of legislation.

Patron Defends Bill.

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Indestrable piece of legislation.

The hearing was concluded by Delegate Chalkley, patron of the measure, who detended his bill on bread principles. He was not so much concerned about the minor details of the measure as he was that the present Legislature as he was that the compensation will be paid, and an efficient board to pass upon all cases arising under the act, he said, were indispensable.

Mr. Chaikley spoke pointedly of that part of the opposition "which has joined part of the opposition "which has joined part of the opposition to the bill, self with the bill or its provisions." Only a limited number of those who are reported to be opposing the measure, he thought, really know the first principles of the act under consideration or of any other compensation act. A great many of the telegrams and letters received in opposition to the bill, he pointed out, were so similar in wording and import as to indicate a common propagandist origin.

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Middleton, Conn., February B.—Announce-

Eustis to Coach Wesleyan.

Middleton, Conn., February 19.—Announcement was made to-night by the Wesleyan football management that Edwin M. Eustis, who captained the cieven last season, had been appointed football coach for the coming year. Eustis has played on the varsity all three years that he was eligible.

WAKE FOREST

Lexington, Va., February 19.—In one of the fastest and hardest-fought games ever seen on the V. M. I. floor, V. M. I. defeated Wake Forest College in the last minute of play by one point to-day, in the first half Wake Forest obtained a lead of eight points by almost perfect team work, in the second half V. M. I. came back fighting. S. Lowry was the star. The winning basket was shot by Feteroff from Clarkson in the last two minutes of play. For Wake Forest, Tyner, Hall and Holding played excellent ball, the latter throwing seven fouls out of nine trials.



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